

To Commissioner Powell:

I urge you to do the right thing and truly represent the public interest.

May I ask you sir, why would it be wrong to delay the voting on this matter?

There has to be more debate on this issue. It seems to me that instead of serving the public interest, you are really serving the interests of the few

corporate fiefdoms, that want to control even more of what we see and hear. As

it is, we are not even told about this very important issue, on the major

networks. Why?

When in fact, like you have said (in a letter to commissioners), the current

rules have been serving the public interests and our first amendment rights

very well.

I believe to the contrary, our right to adequate and impartial information

that we the general public has been getting has been inadequate and very

subjective. And that's if

we get any info on a particular subject.

I can just imagine if even fewer companies consolidate our air waves, which I

understand are owned by the people of this country, and not the rich.

What you should do is make all media networks bring this matter to light, and

cause public debate, so that more Americans can be educated on this extremely

important matter. So that people can get their own opinions on this issue, and

perhaps let their Congress person know. And you should

automatically delay the

voting, no one will be harmed by postponement. In fact postponement will be

positive for all.

Mr. Powell, must I remind you that a true democracy can only exist with

debate and discussion. In a democracy both points of view must be presented,

not only one.

I believe that if you allow yourself to "fold" on behalf of the corporate fat

cats, this country will quickly turn more and more into a fascist state.

This is what Hitler did in 1933. He consolidated complete control of the

"media,"

along with his cronies. I'm not saying that Bush is a reincarnated Hitler, but

there are a lot of similarities. And I'm very concerned for our future. This

is some very, very serious s#\$t is going down. (Excuse my provincial

French).

Mr. Powell, again this lowly, poor, "voter," begs you to do the right thing.

Work for us

the public, or at the very least, allow the postponement for as long as

necessary, so that more Americans can tune in to this issue.

Thank You

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